

# The Torch

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## EDUK on Its 93<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary

The University of the Philippines College of Education has now gone 93 years. This July 2011, the college celebrated its 93<sup>rd</sup> month-long anniversary since it has been established on July 1, 1918. With this year's theme "expEDition: Educate, Navigate, Resonate," the college was filled with activities participated by most of education students. It started with a thanksgiving mass and opening of the exhibit which was displayed at the lobby for a month.



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The exhibit featured the College of Education History, Famous Alumni, Organizations based on the college, its vision and mission and the calendar of activities. The activity that followed was the Road Painting-a whole day activity that closed the driveway of Eduk to give way for the participating groups of students to paint the road with designs in accordance with the theme. Next is the Symposium entitled Gold or Glory with a special guest speaker Prof. Winnie Monsod who talked about Honor and Excellence in Education. Then came the Sportsfest, another whole day activity that gave venue for students to play different types of games and feel young again. Lastly, the Culminating Activity with a *mega-Grand Pakain* for all at the end of the month. Foods and drinks provided by the sponsors and the student council were distributed for free.

The main objective of this celebration, aside from showing how grateful its constituents for the college reaching this far, is making most if not all of the students of the college feel they are at home, that they will feel comfortable staying inside and will never feel the need to leave the college.

Over all, the celebration ended with a blast and the feedbacks from the students were all great.



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### Message from the Editor:

In my almost four years of stay in the college, I have learned to love every single chair, corner and everyone I get to exchange smiles every day. Now that April 2012 is coming (although it is still months away), it is a heartbreaking thing to realize that my time in the college will be over soon. I hope I have done my part here so well but I know that its legacy will continue more for years, even without me. :')